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## Sen. Testin, Riverfront Inc. Team up in Latest "On the Job" Installment

**Sparta** – Last week, Sen. Patrick Testin (Stevens Point) continued his "On the Job" series by joining employees of the non-profit Riverfront Inc. in western Monroe County. Riverfront offers support, including assistance with job placement, to people with disabilities. Through the course of the day, Sen. Testin visited three local businesses that employ workers who have received guidance from Riverfront – Used Anew LLC, Morrow Home Community, and Mathy Construction.

"I believe that the dignity of work should be available to as many as possible – and so do the folks at Riverfront," said Sen. Testin. "During my day on the job with Nate, Kristine, and Sara I saw people with physical, learning, and intellectual disabilities working at jobs they love and making positive contributions to their communities. The partnerships that Riverfront builds with their clients and local businesses are having a big impact in Western Wisconsin."

"At Riverfront, we're committed to being the source of support for people with disabilities in Western Wisconsin," said Nate Hundt, Riverfront's communications director. "We appreciated Senator Testin's desire to work with us, and his commitment to making workforce opportunities available to as many people as possible. I encourage others to follow Senator Testin's lead, and learn more about Riverfront at <a href="https://www.kiverfrontInc.org">www.kiverfrontInc.org</a>."

Senator Testin's next "On the Job" experience will be at the aquaponics innovation center, which was developed through a cooperative project between UW-Stevens Point and aquaponics company Nelson and Pade.

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